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Bill Regarding the Tax on Manufactures Passed in the Senate.

Character of the Bill as it Goes to the House.

Passage of the President's Bonus Bill in the House.

Progress of the Impeachment Case on the Part of the Managers.

The President's Counsel to File their Answer on Monday.

The International Copyright Project Virtually Killed.

Doolittle Figuring for the Democratic Nomination for Vice President.

EUROPE.

Wednesday's Proceedings in the English House of Commons.

A Government Bill for Reform in the Franchise System in Ireland.

Important News from the Abyssinian Expedition.

The New French Political Pamphlet and its Absurdities.

The Austrian Ministry Favor A Law for the Authorization of Civil Marriages.

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DISASTERS.

Additional Particulars of the Explosion and Burning of the Steamer Magnolia.

One Hundred and Forty Persons on Board—Eighty Lives Lost.

Incidents—Lists of the Lost and Injured, Etc.

SOUTH.

Shooting Affrays and Kidnapping Case in Nashville—The Recent Affair with the Ku Klux at McWhorterville, Tenn.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NASHVILLE, March 19.

Colonel J. W. Lowdon, formerly of the Fourth Kentucky Cavalry, was shot through the bowels this evening by Captain Darr, of the Metropolitan Police. Darr fired three shots, one of which inflicted the wound.

Quite a sensation was created to-day by a fight in Union street between Colonel Lowdon and Col. Bruce and a Mr. Reed. Bruce attacked Reed with a knife, when Lowdon struck Bruce with a cane, and the latter drew a pistol and fired, without effect. The affair with Darr occurred soon afterward.

The affair with the Ku-Klux night before last resulted in the death of a negro named Ben Kirk. The Ku-Klux entered the house of Ben Anderson's father-in-law, Sam Kirk, and shot Ben dead on the door. Old Robert Anderson stood on the steps with a double-barrelled gun, and as the family, but after the door was broken down and a pistol had been fired, fired, shooting into the Ku-Klux, who fled, only leaving into the Goodlett house. At this moment Anderson fired at

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LAW INTELLIGENCE.

Friday's Proceedings in the Several Courts.

In United States Circuit Court yesterday the cases examined to the entry of two

U. S. Sadd. vs. Michael Leary. Dvlt. Judgment in the Clerk for $4 damages.

Joseph H. Bryan Loomis. Bill to set aside a conveyance of lot 10, block 2, R. I. & P. P.

Charles F. Freeland vs. John H. Dunham. Same case. Same order. Assessment

Thomas Brown Stewart. Libel.

Same vs. Same. Same order.

Same vs. Same. Same order.

Same vs. Same. Same order

WASHINGTON.

A Flight of Rumors Concerning Prominent Military Changes.

The Garrison at the Capital being Rapidly Strengthened.

Another Proposition for the Equalization of Soldiers' Bounties.

Text of the Treaty for the Cession of the Islands of St. Thomas and St. John's.

Colonel J. C. P. Burnside, of Illinois, Nominated for Second Auditor.

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WASHINGTON, March 19.

The Senate was in session to-day for the purpose of executive business, and consumed the whole of the time in discussing the treaty for the cession of the Islands of St. Thomas and St. John's. The discussion was not concluded when the Senate adjourned, and the treaty will be taken up again to-morrow. The debate was participated in by Messrs. Sumner, Simmons, Fessenden, Howe, Wade, Hendricks, Johnson, Trumbull, Doolittle, Morrill, Grimes, Sherman, Cattell, Saulsbury, Willey, Nesmith, Anthony, Conness, Chandler, Ramsey, Harlan, Patterson, Foster, Cowan, Buckalew, Stewart, Henderson, Dixon, Williams, Corbett, Ross, Van Winkle, Edmunds, Howard, Yates, Sprague, Lane, Pomeroy, Guthrie, Nye, Norton, Hendricks, Grimes, Morgan, Wilson, Fowler, Thayer, Cragin, Clark, Kirkwood, Creswell, Conkling, Tipton, Drake, Rice, Hamlin, Howe, Chandler, Ramsey, Sherman, Sumner, Fessenden, Wade